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BUYER TRANSACTIONS AND  
SETTLEMENTS USING  
COMMUNICATION NETWORK  
BETWEEN COMPUTERS, ...

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Sir:

This is responsive to the office action mailed 10 February 2009, and is timely on 5 June 2009 with a one month extension of time. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.